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TO: School District Superintendents

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Public Information Officer Administration Division

DATE: December 16, 2010

SUBJECT: Live Streaming of Inauguration

PLEASE SHARE WITH YOUR STAFF

A unique learning opportunity for students in Wyoming is available for the upcoming inauguration taking place in Cheyenne in January.

Arrangements have been made for the swearing-in ceremony to be streamed live across the state. The ceremony can be viewed at the website www.govelectmead.com at 10:00 a.m. on January 3, 2011. Additional instructions for access will be available on the website.

We request that schools wishing to view the inauguration consider providing a central location for viewing the ceremony. This will help reduce the stress on your school and district's bandwidth and internet connectivity.

Attached is the press release from Governor-Elect Matt Mead's transition office regarding the inauguration event.

Attachment

For immediate release Governor-Elect Mead invites public to Inauguration events Offers new technology for live coverage

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(CHEYENNE, Wyo.)

Governor-Elect Matt Mead is issuing an open invitation to Wyoming citizens to attend the swearing-in ceremony and reception for the state's five top elected officials on Jan. 3, 2010. The official transfer of authority to the newly elected officials is scheduled for 10:00 a.m. at the Cheyenne Civic Center. Following that, at 11:30 a.m., the public is invited to a reception at the State Capitol.

Matt Mead will be sworn in as governor, Max Maxfield as secretary of state, Cynthia Cloud as auditor, Joe Meyer as treasurer and Cindy Hill as superintendent of public instruction at the Jan. 3, 10 a.m. ceremony.

In a historic first for Wyoming, the swearing-in ceremonies will be offered on a live webcast. Governor-Elect Mead said, "Inviting all citizens of Wyoming to join the ceremony live from their home computers is a great first step toward connecting people together. I am especially pleased that many schoolchildren will be able to watch from their classrooms." The Governor-Elect ranks improving connectivity in the state as one of his highest priorities.

To access the live coverage of the swearing-in ceremony, go to www.govelectmead.com for instructions.

For more information, please contact the Inaugural Committee at (307) 638-4141.